

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Applicants :

Robert E. Blake et al.

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Title of Invention

BAR CODE SYMBOL READING SYSTEM EMPLOYING ELECTRONICALLY-CONTROLLED RASTER-TYPE LASER

SCANNER FOR READING BAR CODE SYMBOLS DURING HANDS-ON AND HANDS-FREE MODES OF OPERATION

Examiner '

Ahshik Kim

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Commissioner of Patents

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Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 312(a)

SIR:

Prior to payment of Issue Fee in the present Application, please amend the same as follows: